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Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825, that accompanied the Office Communication mailed June 4, 2008, Applicants submit herewith the required paper copy and computer readable copy of the Substitute Sequence Listing. This amendment is accompanied by a one-month Request for Extension of Time, extending the time period for responding until August 4, 2008. Please amend the application as follows: Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.